

Remarks

Reconsideration of this Application is respectfully requested.

Upon entry of the foregoing amendment, claims 1-18 are pending in the application, with claim 1 being the independent claim.

Based on the following Remarks, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider all outstanding objections and rejections and that they be withdrawn.

Objection to the Drawings

Pursuant to the Examiner's objection to the originally filed drawings, corrected drawing sheets are filed herewith.

Rejection, Double Patenting

The Examiner has rejected claims 1-18 under the doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting, in view of U.S. Patent 6,829,811. A terminal disclaimer is filed herewith in order to overcome this rejection.

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Conclusion

All of the stated grounds of objection and rejection have been properly traversed, accommodated, or rendered moot. Applicants therefore respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider all presently outstanding objections and rejections and that they be withdrawn. Applicants believe that a full and complete reply has been made to the outstanding Office Action and, as such, the present application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is hereby invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

Prompt and favorable consideration of this Amendment is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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